About this publication	Description
Publication title	Sub-national Population Estimates for ages 90 and over, 2004-2014.
Description	Mid-year population estimates for those aged 90 & over by sex, age and Council area
Theme	Population and Migration
Topic	Special Populations
Format	Excel workbooks, Adobe Acrobat Portable Document Format (PDF)
Data source(s)	Mid-year population estimates. Community Health Index Deaths from civil registration system and data from the 2011 Census are used for quality assurance.
Date that data is acquired	Ongoing throughout the year.
Publication Release date	30 September 2015
Frequency	These estimates are being produced for the first time to get feedback on the results and method.
Timeframe of data and timeliness	The estimates refer to the population as at 30 June each year. The estimates have been released 15 months after this date as other publications take priority.
Continuity of data	Data are available for the years 2004 to 2014.
Revisions statement	Revisions and corrections to previously published statistics are dealt with in accordance with the Scottish Government Statistician Group corporate policy statement on revisions and corrections - a copy of which is available on the Scottish Government website.
	Revisions will also be carried out in accordance with the Revisions policy for population, migration and life events statistics available on the Office for National Statistics (ONS) website.
Concepts and definitions	A centenarian is a person aged 100 and over.
	These statistics are based on the Mid-Year Population Estimates and the Centenarians in Scotland estimates which can be found within the Mid-Year Population Estimates section and the Population Estimates for Scottish Centenarians section of the National Records of Scotland (NRS) website respectively.

Relevance and key uses of the statistics	Scotland's population is ageing therefore estimates of the very old are important for policy development at a sub-national level.
Accuracy	These estimates show a high correlation with the results from the 2011 Census. Comparison with deaths recorded in the civil registration system indicate similar sex ratios and age distribution.
Completeness:	The estimated very old population is on the same basis as the mid-year estimates i.e. if relevant at these ages the population includes all those usually resident there, whatever their nationality. Students are treated as being resident at their term-time address. Members of UK and non-UK armed forces stationed in Scotland are included; UK forces stationed outside Scotland are excluded. Short-term international migrants are excluded.
Comparability	Time-series comparisons are appropriate.
Accessibility	It is the policy of the National Records of Scotland to make its website and products accessible according to published guidelines. More information is available in the Accessibility section of the NRS website.
Coherence and clarity	The statistics are provided in Excel, PDF and Comma Separated Value (CSV) format. They are designed to be consistent and incorporate comparable historical data where appropriate.
Value type and unit of measure	Counts of males and females by single-year of age.
Official Statistics designation	Official Statistics
UK Statistics Authority Assessment	These statistics are being published as data being developed and have not yet been assessed by the UK Statistics Authority.
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